NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILL UPCOMING VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHICKASAW COUNTY SHERIFF BY APPOINTMENT

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors intends to fill the upcoming vacancy in the Office of the Chickasaw County Sheriff due to the retirement of Sheriff Martin Hemann by appointment pursuant to *Iowa Code* section 69.14A(2)(a). Persons interested in being appointed as Chickasaw County Sheriff must provide their name to the Chickasaw County Auditor, 8 E. Prospect Street, New Hampton, Iowa 50659 (auditor@chickasawcounty.iowa.gov) by 4:00 p.m. on December 22, 2022. The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors will consider the names of those interested persons and then intends to make the actual appointment in 2023 after the vacancy occurs. An individual appointed as Chickasaw County Sheriff must meet the qualifications set forth in *Iowa Code* section 331.651(2) at the time of the appointment.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that pursuant to *Iowa Code* section 69.14A(2)(a)(1), the appointment shall be for the period until the next general election in November of 2024. However, the electors of Chickasaw County have the right to file a petition requiring that the vacancy be filled by special election if a petition is filed with the Chickasaw County Auditor within fourteen days after the actual appointment is made. Said petition must be filed with the Chickasaw County Auditor in accordance with the procedures established in *Iowa Code* section 69.14A(2)(a)(2).

Dated this 5th day of December, 2022.

Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors

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